

WHITELAW ESSIE

Form 4

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WHITELAW ESSIE

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**SENSIENT TECHNOLOGIES
CORP [SXT]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/01/2008

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	7,859.088 ⁽¹⁾	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. D S (I
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.0625					02/01/2001	02/01/2010	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 18.7					05/01/2002	05/01/2011	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.07					05/02/2006	05/02/2015	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.25					05/01/2007	05/01/2016	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 20.46					05/03/2005	05/03/2014	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 21.66					05/01/2004	05/01/2013	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 25.19					05/01/2003	05/01/2012	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 26.12					05/01/2008	05/01/2017	Common Stock
								2,000
Stock Options	\$ 30.07	05/01/2008		A	2,000 (3)	05/01/2009	05/01/2018	Common Stock
								2,000

(Right to
buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
WHITELAW ESSIE 777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE MILWAUKEE, WI 53202	X

Signatures

John L. Hammond, Attorney-In-Fact for Ms. Whitelaw	05/05/2008
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 **Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (3) Represents grant of stock options under the Company's 1999 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan, as amended.
- (1) Includes shares of restricted stock as well as allocation of dividends to Director's account.
- (2) Original option grant vests in three equal annual installments beginning on the date listed.

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